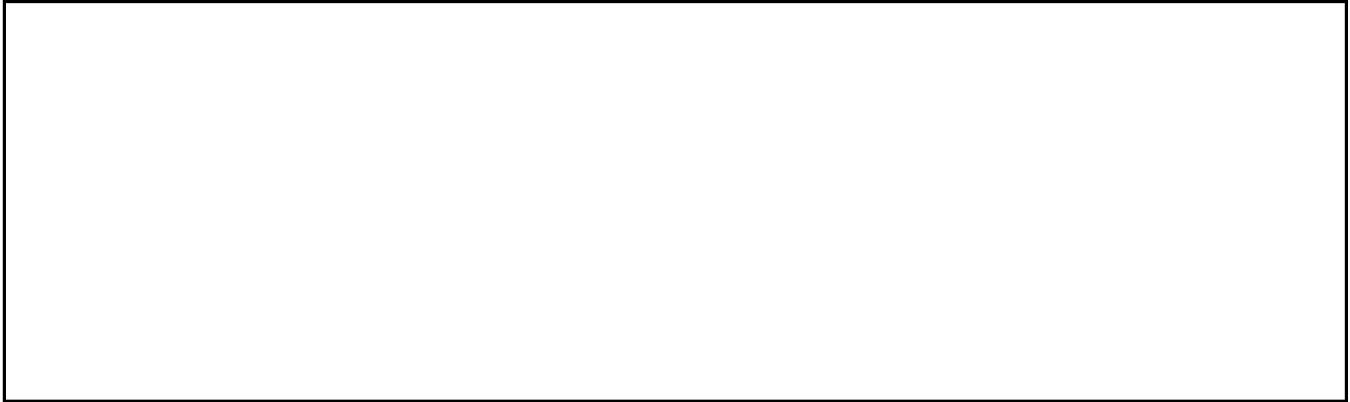


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5. [redacted] Received a call from Mr. Richard Moose, Consultant, Senate Foreign Relations Committee, who told me the Committee has received a copy of a letter from a Buddhist group in Vietnam and requested that we pick up the letter and if possible advise whether the outfit is "clean" or not. The letter was picked up later in the day. [redacted] SAVA, has been advised.

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6. [redacted] Received a call from Miss Judy Spahr, Subcommittee on National Security and International Operations, Senate Committee on Government Operations staff, who requested for Senator Henry M. Jackson (D., Wash.), two copies of the full text of President Thieu's speech planned for Friday, 31 July. After checking with [redacted] DDI, I confirmed that we would try to have the text for the Senator on Monday, 3 August.

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7. [redacted] Met with Miss Justine Snipes, Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service, House Committee on Post Office and Civil Service staff, who told me that the Subcommittee has not rescheduled its meeting on S. 782.

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25X1 9. [] Robert Hull, Department of State, called on our retirement legislative proposals which were in the Department for comment to the Office of Management and Budget. I explained some of the legislative history of the transfer of Government contributions provision which Hull was unaware of. Hull felt we had a nice tight legislative package and gave every indication that the Department would favorably comment by the 2 August deadline set by the Office of Management and Budget.

Mr. Hull was particularly interested in what reaction we received on our funding proposals, and I told him as in the past we would keep him advised on developments.

25X1 10. [] Ed Braswell, Chief of Staff, Senate Armed Services Committee, called to say that Senator Stennis was particularly interested in an unclassified history of the U-2 program to be included in the package of backup material we are providing the Senator for the current military authorization debate.

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25X1 11. [] During a conversation at a social gathering, discussed with Representative John Moss several matters of Agency interest. See Memo for Record for details.

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